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In re application of

Susanne Klumpp

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Sir:

Please substitute the attached formal drawings for the informal drawings filed in the above-identified application.

No fee is believed to be due in association with this filing, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required to facilitate this filing, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3402.

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